

CHURCH CIRCLE HAS SEWING PARTY

Mrs. J. H. Young was hostess to members of Methodist Circle No. 1 Tuesday at an all-day sewing meeting.



INTEND TO WED

Application for a marriage license has been made by: Bruno Giacomo, 22, and Alma May McHenry, 20, both of Torrance.

BRIDGE GROUP MEETS AT MASSIE HOME

The home of Mrs. H. E. Massie on Engracia ave., was the setting for an enjoyable bridge party when she entertained Friday evening at a benefit for Torrance Woman's Club ways and means fund.

ON VACATION

Miss Arlys Fossum returned from Whittier College for Easter vacation. She was recently elected president of the student body.

Red Cross Meet Scheduled for Monday Evening

The April meeting of Torrance Branch, American Red Cross, will be held at the headquarters, Post and Cravens ayes., beginning at 7:30 p.m., Monday, April 26.

Election of officers and other important business will be transacted. Mrs. Lola Hoover, chairman, requests a large attendance.

Mrs. Rose Connolly, field representative, will attend and will present as the evening's speaker Miss Cass of Los Angeles who will discuss "Home Service."

SIXTH BIRTHDAY MARKED BY PARTY

Little Mary Schott's sixth birthday was the occasion for one of the most enjoyable of recent children's parties when her mother entertained at their home Saturday. Games, with prizes for contest winners, were followed by party refreshments at a table gay with Easter decorations. A candlelight birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream.

SERVICE SHORTS

PHILLIP JENSEN... a second mate in the Merchant Marine, is enjoying a two-weeks' leave here.

BERTON F. SMITH... an aviation cadet at the Santa Ana Army Air Base since April 1 has been classified for pilot's training and will begin preflight instruction immediately.

FLOYD R. STEVENS... is now a private in an Armored Infantry group at Fort Knox, Ky. He is the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevens of 4100 Torrance blvd.

CLIFFORD D. POWELL... a private first-class has been graduated from an intensive course in aviation mechanics at Sheppard Field near Wichita Falls, Texas. He is now eligible to become crew chief on a bomber and to win a rating as corporal or sergeant.

CARROLL JOE BENDER... a first lieutenant in the Army Air Force, sent Easter greetings to his mother, Mrs. William Hiatt of 21502 South Berendo ave., in the form of a cablegram announcing his arrival overseas. He is a pilot of a heavy bomber.

MIL0 ANDERSON... a private at Camp White in Oregon recently spent a 12-day leave at home with his mother, Mrs. Emma Anderson of 1636 1/2 West 219th st.

HENRY C. DAY... is now a private stationed at Fort Knox, Ky. Mrs. Day lives here at 810 Madrid ave.

JERRY HOLLOMAN... recently transferred from Farragut, Idaho to San Diego Naval Training Station, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Holloman, Sr., here.

FRED ALEXANDER... a private 1/c, stationed at Camp Roberts, visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Jones, here last weekend.

CHARLES E. KISSINGER... a first lieutenant serving in the Anti-Tank Corps, is stationed at Camp Livingston, La.

MAYNARD KISSINGER... is an Air Cadet at Fort Stockton, where he is in primary training.

ROBERT CARLSON... a private 1/c in the Army Air Forces at Keesler Field, Miss., writes: "I deeply appreciate The Herald being sent to me. I find it very interesting to see what is happening in my home town. I was hoping my name would appear in some active duty report but I regretfully inform you that I have been chosen as an instructor in electricity to remain here. We all have to make sacrifices, it seems."

EASTERN STARS VISIT AT SAN PEDRO... Representing Torrance Chapter No. 380, Order of the Eastern Star, at Point Firmin Chapter, San Pedro Tuesday evening, were Mrs. Billie Kerber, worthy matron; Hillman R. Lee, worthy patron, and Misses Frances Buckley, Gladys Mothersell and Harriet Condon.

RUMMAGE SALE SCHEDULED HERE... A two-day rummage sale, sponsored by Torrance Chapter, No. 380, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held at the corner of El Prado and Sartori ave., Friday, April 30, and Saturday, May 1. Mrs. James H. Crumrine will serve as chairman.

FUND FOR CARE OF WAR ORPHAN SOUGHT

The Shamrock Club, newly-formed young matrons' organization, is giving a card party at the Men's Bible Church bldg., May 5 at 7:30 p.m. to raise funds for the care of a war orphan. Prizes will be given in contract and auction bridge. 500. A \$25 War Bond and door prizes will also be awarded. Refreshments of coffee and homemade cake will be served. Tickets will be sold at the door and the public is invited.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB IN SESSION... At the regular business meeting of Torrance Junior Woman's Club at the clubhouse last Wednesday evening, a committee was appointed to select candidates for office for the ensuing term. Serving on the committee are Mmes. Ina Mae Maupin, Betty Smith and Miss Marcella Crook. The election will be held at the next business meeting.

FRED HICKS... a radioman, 3/c, visited his fiancée, Miss Relda Briggs of this city and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hicks of Wilmington and for merely of Torrance. Hicks was graduated from Torrance high school with the class of summer '41.

JAMES J. (JIMMY) JORDAN... a staff sergeant in Army Air Forces, accompanied by Mrs. Jordan and their baby daughter, Marie, arrived Sunday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Walden of 1823 Gramercy ave., for an extended furlough.

JAMES DANIEL... son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Daniel of 1517 218th st., is taking a four-months' course in Air Forces subjects at Eastern States College, La Grange, Ore.

EASTER THEME FOR BIRTHDAY... One of the most enjoyable parties of the week was the Easter birthday party given for Bobby Hopkins Monday afternoon to celebrate his sixth birthday. Easter decorations were used for the table where refreshments were served following an exciting Easter-egg hunt. Those present were Richard Topper, Tommy Quaggin, Jerry Brodie, Billy Pat and Jimmy Gene Murphy, Dickie, Charlie and Jimmy Scott, Tommy Hicks, Kenny Dale Ablard, Janet Carol Robinson and Bobby. Prize winners at games were Jimmy Gene Murphy, Tommy Hicks and Jimmy Scott.

JOYCE STEELE HAS 13TH BIRTHDAY FETE... Joyce Steele celebrated her 13th birthday at one of the prettiest of the Easter week parties when her mother, Mrs. A. C. Steele, entertained at their home Tuesday. Pink sweetpeas and yellow lilies and the floral corsages provided for each of the girls, created a pastel background for the group.

GAMES WERE ENJOYED AND FOLLOWING THE OPENING OF MANY GIFT PACKAGES FOR THE HONOREE, refreshments were served. Those present were Jean MacInnes of Los Angeles, Jane Scott, Nancy Ann Whyte, Patty Sue Allen, Beverly Hopkins, Gayle Raymond, Lillian Strlika, Shirley Severin, Fory Robinson, Shirley Cox and Genevieve Reniker.

THIRD BIRTHDAY MARKED BY PARTY... Roger Myron's third birthday was the occasion for a delightful children's party when his mother entertained at home recently. In the group were Mary Barbara, Ben and Richard Groscup of Long Beach, Steven, Larry and Paul Andrade, Melva and Glenda Estes and Frances and Calvin Myron and Keith. Games were enjoyed and birthday cake and ice cream were served at a table colorful with seasonal decorations.

P.T.A. COUNCIL TO SEE POSTERS... Lomita-San Pedro P.T.A. will meet at Orange Street school beginning at 9:45 a.m., Thursday, April 29. A special feature of the meeting will be an art and poster contest, under direction of Mrs. Curtis Brown of Torrance Elementary school, Council art chairman, assisted by Mrs. Kenneth Schmidt of Orange Street. Mrs. Lester Moreland, 10th District art chairman, will be one of the judges. An informal luncheon arranged by Orange Street P.T.A., will conclude the meeting.

SECOND BIRTHDAY OBSERVED... Bobby Ralston celebrated his second birthday with a gala party at his home last Tuesday afternoon. Toy balloons, suspended over the refreshment table gay with Easter decorations, added a colorful note. Each child was made happy with tiny bunny and duck favors which were later converted into party caps. Following presentation of many lovely gifts, birthday cake and ice cream were served to John and Charlie Sherer, Ronnie Lovelady, Richard Tepper, Darla McDonald and Susie Ralston.

Women's Corps Guests of Guard at City Park

The Torrance Unit of Women's Ambulance and Defense Corps of America were guests of the State Guard at Torrance City Park last Wednesday. Robert Levelen was officer of the day. Mrs. Genter, wife of Chaplain R. F. Genter, Mrs. Robert Levelen and daughter, Janet, were guests.

Chaplain Genter showed films released by the War Department. Refreshments were served and members of the Women's Ambulance and Defense Corps proceeded to help the boys with the dishes.

MOTHER-DAUGHTER MEETING SCHEDULED... The annual Mother-Daughter meeting of First Christian church this year will be a pot-luck supper at 6:30 p.m., Friday, May 7, at the church parlors.

Circle No. 1 will meet at 1:30 p.m., April 26, at the home of Mrs. A. R. Rodopouch, 25840 Pennsylvania ave., Lomita; Circle No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. E. G. Rowell, 1348 Carson st., at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 27.

HIGHWAY REPORT TO BE GIVEN P.T.A. Members of the Torrance Elementary P.T.A. will be told the progress of the International Pacific highway—particularly the Los Angeles to Mexico City link—at their meeting next Tuesday by Roscoe A. Goodell of the speakers' bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California.

He will illustrate his talk with the showing of motion pictures of charting expeditions filmed when this mammoth project got under way.

BRIDGE CLUB HOLDS SESSION... Mrs. W. J. Neelands was club hostess when she entertained at a dessert bridge at her home on Engracia ave., Thursday afternoon. Arrangements of garden roses created a pretty background for the party, attended by eight. Mrs. H. E. Massie was a club guest and Mrs. E. A. Miles was presented with first prize at contract.

REBONDOAN HOSTESS AT LUNCHEON... The home of Mrs. John Gregory at Redondo Beach was the scene of an enjoyable party attended by Torrance ladies Thursday afternoon. Luncheon covers were placed for eight and contract prizes, winners were Mmes. L. M. Fernley and John Keeler.

CATHOLIC CARD PARTIES POSTPONED... There will be no Catholic card party tonight or next Thursday evening. The next party will be held Thursday, May 6, and will be sponsored by the February Guild in charge of Mrs. Woods.

GUILD RE-ELECTS ALL OFFICERS... At the last meeting of Central Evangelical Guild at the home of Mrs. W. P. Taylor on Cota ave., all officers were unanimously re-elected to serve for another term. They were: Mrs. E. M. Johnston, president; Mrs. E. A. Lock, first vice-president; Mrs. W. H. Haslam, second vice-president; Mrs. Ray Hoover, secretary; Mrs. Roy Hoover, treasurer and Mrs. R. J. Deinger, corresponding secretary.

Easter AT PENNEY'S THIS YEAR ITS SMART IF ITS USEFUL

Here's a new approach to the Easter clothes problem for you soldiers on the home front! Your new clothes have to keep up your spirits, keep you cheerful and confident! They're YOUR wartime uniform! But, like other uniforms, they must be bought for long service. Well-cut, simple clothes will furnish a background for the spice of accessories; they'll give longer wear... and lend themselves to remodeling. All things we kept in mind in selecting your Easter things!

Easter Frocks for the War-Time Budget

A Delightful Variety Of Casual Or Dressy Fashions! WOMEN'S RAYON DRESSES 4.98. Unusual Lingerie Trimmings! Fascinating Spring Colors! You'll be amazed by the complete scope of styles and types in this lovely, inexpensive group! Soft, sheer frocks for dressy wear with shirred waistlines and great Evangelic collars... others in the popular two-piece mode with casual set-in belt, and sporting polka dots. Sizes 12 to 20.



New Styles! Bright Colors! SPRING FROCKS 3.98

Choose a practical dress this Easter and wear it all season! Smart two-piece styles in one lovely solid color... or a charming print in bright flower pattern! Sizes 12 to 20.



Spring Straws! HATS 1.98

Tiny flower-covered catlets... amusing little padre sailors... Dashing pompadour hats and gay berets in every form!

Thrifty Fashions That Are Smart For Spring! BUDGET FROCKS 2.98

Smart styles for the woman who knows just what she wants and how much to pay for it! Clever printed spun rayons that are cut in the popular midriff manner! Smart two-piece styles that can be turned into suits! Delightfully simple button-front dresses that are so right for so many occasions! New, bright colors and combinations that will intrigue you! Sizes 12-20, 38-44.

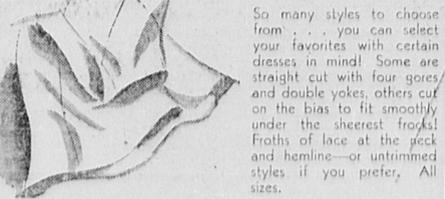
Smart Easter Fashions For All Spring! COATS 12.75

This fine collection of smart styles is here for your choice! Select a fine all-wool tweed, or a colorful plaid of wool-and-rayon! A grand variety of new, clear spring colors and mixtures! 12 to 44.



You Can't Have Too Many! RAYON BLOUSES 1.98

Now—later, this work sheers dressy styles! Smart Tailored Types! Your new spring suit deserves a smart blouse to set it off properly! Select one of these crisp tailored rayons that will blend so nicely with a sport suit... or a dressy sheer to match a dressmaker style! Pastels! Sizes 32 to 40.



For Slim, Smooth Lines! Styles For Every Woman! CYNTHIA SLIPS 1.29

So many styles to choose from... you can select your favorites with certain dresses in mind! Some are straight cut with four gores and double yokes, others cut on the bias to fit smoothly under the sheerest frocks! Froths of lace at the neck and hemline—or untrimmed styles if you prefer. All sizes.

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